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A H ZAHNISSER
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Parties indebted to the late firm of Ladd & Co are requested to call and settle their accounts
LADD & TILTON
Portland Dec 1 1868 dtf

Artemus Ward

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[illegible] Correspondence of the Cincinnati Times

PORTLAND Nov 1 1865

Bein as there is a good many persons in this city who are anxious to know what Artemus Ward will say when he arrives here I have interviewed him on the subject and he has kindly consented to let me publish the following letter which he has just written me from Hardware & Co's Emporium

Artemus Ward will be in Portland on the 1st day of December and there are many in this city of the Atlantic who are interested in having this explanation as full and satisfactory as possible

As I was born and raised with poor Artemus and was his bosom friend in life and in death I may be able to enlighten you somewhat When Artemus Ward left New York he calculated himself worth at least $1 000 not to mention his estate at Yonkers on the Hudson for which he paid $5 000 He went to England but it was some time before he got fairly to work and his agent Hingston run the London Show there last summer (a year) that it cost $700 for Ward to get settled on paying basis in a great city like London is not astonishing, he was known here Gold was then at a premium which would make the amount in greenbacks about $6 500

This amount, with other and contingent expenses probably consumed more than half his available means before he opened at Egyptian Hall That he made very largely by his writings and lectures in England is true that he had lived frugally is not no true it was simply impossible for a genius of his kidney to follow like Ward with such hosts of friends and such surroundings but I live frugally but that he did make money rapidly and that there is no reason for believing that after his funeral expenses were paid there were no assets left to his estate is correct in fact

Artemus Ward's will was no joke but a deliberately drawn document in the presence of witness Ward refused to make a will when first requested by his agent and friend Mr Hingston and the American Consul I think it was) went to Ward's room and told him that he could not live and that it was his duty to make a will, adding, I know your business is joking Ward, but this is no joke, and no time for joking and Ward was finally prevailed upon to make his will That he knew what he was about at the time is evidenced by the language he used and the disbursements he ordered

"Give my library to the best boy in the village school in my native town Send the rest of my children to Hingston and $1 000 to be given to each of the children of my old friend [illegible] of my native town," (there being four or five of them) There were some other minor gifts and then the balance (thought to be some $20 000) was to be put at interest for the benefit of his mother, and after her decease the whole was to go to Horace Greely, to be invested in a Home for Aged and Indigent Printers "Now what has been done with all this property? you naturally ask and I have been asked the question a thousand times since Ward's death and never oftener than I have in this city when I returned only last Monday evening the 17th for the purpose of raising funds to build a monument on his grave, which is at Waterford Oxford county Maine, where his mother now lives

Where has the money gone? inquire the people whom I solicit to patronize an entertainment for the purpose mentioned. In the first place Ward's sickness was attended with great expense as he changed physicians as often as freak or fancy dictated and they of course charged accordingly Then his burial expenses in London were heavy his interment in Kensal Green was fixed and his disinterment and removal across the water to New York was expensive

There were some accounts to settle after his death which took more money still All this in justice to Artemus Ward's executor and myself Mr Hingston But more after a strict observation of affairs on this side of the Atlantic and in England after conversation innumerable with Ward's friends in both countries not excepting his executors and his own mother I feel positively that Artemus Ward's property has not been economized but that it has been extravagantly drawn upon That is the opinion of his intimate friends almost without exception and also of his mother I do not cast any reflections upon Mr Hingston I make no personal accusations but I do say that there might and should be no reckoning to Artemus Ward's mother out of investments that will be realized

Mr Hingston is to be thanked for [illegible] but from motives [illegible] I will by correct Ward's executors within [illegible] of [illegible] took from gall Well this is [illegible] children in this side the water [illegible] but the money held in Notwithstanding Ward's recent reverses every person [illegible] cent in regard to Ward's affairs when I was in London [illegible] of the knowing of our intimacy and of the fact of my having left Ward's mother shortly previous at Hingston extremely mean in his manner in regard to her son's estate [illegible] Lord I saw and he intended [illegible] that the executors should have been assisted by an editor

Bills were rendered against Artemus Ward's estate that were perfectly absurd and ridiculous in their extravagance and I saw one bill of about $167 in gold which I described as was just or even outraged Ward and Mr Hingston also expressed their astonishment at the matter But Mr Hingston stated that I was to act only as an adviser and not to Ward's executor in short and as figures were at the bottom of all I stated the much I and the public and when the [illegible] had gone As for me all I got for my services was [illegible] Hingston now [illegible] $1 000 or $2 000 besides the real estate in Hudson

There is neither a stake nor a stone to mark the place where poor Ward now sleeps and more the pity [illegible] Hingston

Yet in face of these and other unfortunate facts I tried to increase this small sum I have raised for the purpose of building a monument by giving an entertainment consisting of a short and humorous lecture on Ward myself assisted by the Portland Band and some other of the best musical talent of the city and the poor is [illegible] to its seconded my efforts and [illegible] difficulties for poor Ward by purchasing $87 worth of tickets leaving me minus $40 [illegible] It was my [illegible] worse by the generosity of the performers

I have only to say in conclusion that each [illegible] so far only [illegible] $1 000 It may amount to more and similar [illegible] this matter's sake it will

I am yours until the [illegible] very obedient servant P O HAILE (AHEAD)

Vice Pres't A W Monument Ass'n (South)

By Overland Telegraph

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH
DATES TO DECEMBER 8TH
Dispatches in the Sixth Embellished Reports from Rebel Sources

MARYSVILLE Dec 28 Intelligence has been received here of the murder of Dr Hall and Dr Frazier at Block the postoffice the contents of which were also removed also Bubier's block All were occupied by business houses The fire was not extinguished after the arrival of steam fire engines from Sacramento The loss is roughly estimated at $ 00 000 Probably 600 people are thrown out of employment by it

HAVANA Dec 28 Advices from Hayti state that Jacmel continued closely besieged On the 4th the garrison repulsed the pickets Both sides have received heavy loss Salnave's men of war were about to construct the Vera Cruz & Mexican Railroad

Gen Canto had been sent to Durango Gen Quesrega was operating against Escobedo

Petitions had been sent to Congress for the abolition of the death penalty for the creation of a Bank of hypothecates and for the construction of a railroad from the capital of Oaxaca to the Pacific ocean

The financial and commercial condition of the Republic was critical Congress had approved a project allowing free exports of minerals and a concession of $5 per ton is to be granted to all ores extracted in the Republic

Preparations for working a petroleum well at Oaxaca had commenced

The formation of New Leon into a separate State had been conceded by Congress The question of forming the new State of Hidalgo was under discussion also a proposition to export gold and silver bars under the same duties as coined money

Congress had organized a grand jury to try Mejia and Romero Mejia was found not guilty the case of Romero was still undecided

A project of amnesty had been presented in congress and was under discussion The journals generally advocate clemency

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

PARIS Dec 23 —Senor Olozaga was to day officially received by the Emperor as Ambassador from Spain

A serious disturbance occurred at Navarre Several persons have been killed for partizan motives

ATHENS Dec. 23 —The Ministry is still engaged in the discussion of means of defense for the country but no formal steps have yet been taken in that direction

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec 23 —It is now officially announced that the Turkish Admiral, Hobart Pasha has informed the authorities of Syria that his instructions from Constantinople were peremptory, and he only asked that the *Ercole* be given to the piscerns by a French or Austrian steamer to await trial by Greek naval officers

LONDON Dec. 24.—The following Spanish dispatch from Constantinople has been received to-day Dall Jones Grecian Minister, has formally retired from his post and declines to recognise the proposed Confederate Powers

MARSEILLES Dec 24 —Dispatches are received, giving particulars of an accident which occurred near Smyrnia, by the Asia and Egyptian mail steamers colliding It is said that upwards of one hundred passengers were killed by the shock

CHICAGO Dec 24 —Foreign mail advices say the ex King of Naples is dangerously ill His condition is kept as secret as possible, but it is [illegible] grave and hopeless

NEW YORK Dec 24.—The *Herald's* Athens special says the Greek Government has [illegible] the Chambers for an extraordinary levy of [illegible]

The *National Guard* has been mobilized.

OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH.

SAN FRANCISCO Dec. 25 —A fatal affair occurred in Bull Run Saloon on Pacific street, at half past four yesterday morning, during which Ernest Hundhauser was shot A third man, whose name has not been ascertained, was slightly cut on the head being half scalped in the melee but it is thought that his wounds are not fatal A fourth sufferer was badly cut in the leg, but not so seriously injured as the others An Italian who gave his name as George Chubbis, was arrested charged with having done the cutting He was armed with a twelve inch carving knife

John Monye was arrested for attempting to rob Captain McNear in Casino Saloon When detected he struck McNear a terrible blow with some sharp instrument cutting his nose down to the cheek bone

The Rumball Manufacturing Co filed their certificate of incorporation on the 24th inst., and proposes to manufacture carriages wagons agricultural implements cars and everything pertaining to that line of business. Capital stock, $50,000

The wind blew quite fresh for a short time this morning and the ship *Electric Spark* anchored off Front street wharf, dragged her anchor about a quarter of a mile

Yesterday one fourth interest in the celebrated Idaho mine Idaho was sold by Hill, Beachy, Gravson & McQuade to M J McDonald of this city for $ 5,000

The wife of one of the physicians of this city, last evening presented her husband with a sofa cushion, ottoman with cloth worked with gold bullion embroidery She had been two years at the work and the material cost over $2 200

The steamer *John L Stephens* which left Mazatlan December 15th arrived to-day

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 26 —The steamer *Chrysopolis* soon after leaving Rio Vista on her down trip on Christmas ran into a small boat containing four men one of whom was drowned name not ascertained The steamer ran out of the channel blew a whistle but the other party do not appear to hear or heed it

The following brands of fruit brandy made in quick succession in this market [illegible] is made from the vintage of Napa county and we learn that Sam Brannan at Calistoga has this season crushed 700 tons of grapes

At the Sunday school festival of Grass Church on Christmas Eve the Christmas tree contained a young turtle box directed to the Pastor Rev James Rich which on opening was found to contain fifty twenty dollar gold pieces fresh from the mint This token was the voluntary gift from the members of his congregation

Produce Market

FLOUR—the demand is purely local and rather quiet

Wheat—900 sks choice coast sold on Thursday last at $1 [illegible] cash We have heard of no sales to-day nor do we the market inactive at $1 55@1 60 for coast $1 70@1 75 for fair to good milling $1 80@1 90 for fair to good shipping and $1 90@1 95 for [illegible] lots of choice for local milling

Barley—remains firm at $2 20@2 25 for feed, and $2 30@2 35 for brewing

Oats—quotable at $2@2 20 for California and Oregon

Monetary

Gold closed in New York at 134¾

Sterling 9 9½@10

Legal tenders remain quiet at 70¾ buying and 71 selling

U S 6's are quoted in New York this afternoon 11½@11¾ for issues of 1862 and 1867 the 5's do has advanced to 120¾

New York Quotations

California wheat has declined to $2 15@2 20 the latter asked using dull and nominal

Flour—$6 50@12 50

Very full quotations for California wheat reported 11s 11d

Shipping

Arrived French Bark *J Puntis* 5 days from Mare Island North German Bark *Sophia* 4 days from Hamburg

Sailed—Dec 24th, bark *Gold Hunter* for Port Madison bark *Ida Lorle* Portland Dec 26th steamship *City* Portland bark *Evelyn* for Bellingham Bay

Arrived Dec 26—ship *Isaac Jones* from Bellingham Bay

BY STATE TELEGRAPH

JACKSONVILLE Dec 25 A young man named Joseph Martin died here last night from small pox One new case was reported by the physicians last evening

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The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING DEC 29 1868

Military Division of the Pacific

The Department Headquarters in this Military Division is established in Hall In the three Departments Alaska Columbia and California with Headquarters at the Military forces consists of two regiments of infantry in Alaska nine companies of artillery five companies of infantry Fort Hall Kearney and Fort Laramie and the whole number of enlisted men at these Stations military posts established in each garrison and by whom quartered

In the Department of the Columbia there are twenty companies of the Seventh regiment of infantry two companies of artillery and eight companies of cavalry The number of military posts in the Department is fifteen Fort Hall Kearney Camp Brown Camp Crook for the energy and skill displayed in subduing the Indians in this Department It is intimated that some of the military posts in the hereto for hostile country may be withdrawn next year

Of the troops in the Department of California eleven companies are employed in the State of California, eight companies in the State of Nevada, and twenty nine companies in the Territory of Arizona The military operations in Arizona have been remarkably successful The Territory notwithstanding Indian hostilities is steadily growing and many military posts are now supplied by the products of the country at much less expense than formerly

THE CHILIAN EXPOSITION In April next an Exposition of South American production and industry will be opened at Valparaiso The California papers urge that articles be sent from that State and Oregon as it is understood that articles from this quarter will be readily received At any rate it is urged that competent persons should be present from our Pacific States to make observations upon South American industry The Chilians have much skill in mining and reduce some descriptions of ores much more successfully and profitably than we have yet learned to do A San Francisco paper says They have new amalgamation processes of merit that we do not hear of except from limited personal sources They have undergone long since the new mining and metallurgical experiences in which North American miners and capitalists delight to flounder and to which 95 per cent succumb from want of existing knowledge or experience in that which they are undertaking to do They are utilizing the chemicals of their alkali plains and furnishing the world with the principal ingredient to make powder They have commenced building their railroad over the Andes.

FOR THE HERALD The Sacramento *Reporter*, like our neighbor of the *Herald*, is extremely indignant because loyal Missourians have disfranchised those Democrats who were "absent from the State during the rebellion battling for the Confederate cause To which complaint the *Union* responds 'Instead of disfranchising them for this exercise of their constitutional rights, the people of Missouri who stayed at home, should have allowed the 'absent Democrats' to come back to the polls between fights, and vote That would have been truly Democratic and perfectly constitutional Thus we should have recognized the same 'great constitutional principle' in regard to 'absent Democrats' as in regard to absent States Each had perfect right to absent itself or himself and to 'carry arms and to shoot, 'firing low,' so as to be sure to hurt somebody All this time the constitutional rights of those gay and festive political pic nickers remained intact and unchanged

WAITING FOR A CROMWELL —There is a Democratic paper in San Francisco the *Dispatch* whose editor is actually a greater simpleton than those of his brethren in Oregon who are waiting to see if Grant will not turn Democrat. The California editor heads an article, 'General Grant, will *he* do it?' under which caption he proceeds in this strain "Mr Johnson was afraid of Congress Congress is afraid of General Grant He can force that body to accept of his policy or change them So great is his power that he could with impunity, if he chose to do so, dissolve the present Congress in the same mode and manner that Cromwell adopted to get rid of the original rump There we have it Grant is not only expected to Johnsonize but to go much further than Johnson What can cure these people of their revolutionary longings?

Reduction of the Debt

To enable any one interested in the matter to perceive at a glance the condition of the national debt and the amount of its reduction since the close of the war, we present the following official figures from the report of the Secretary of the Treasury

Amount of the adjusted debt in April, 1865	$2 360 955 07[illegible] 74
War debts adjusted since April 1865	630 431 126 99
Total debt of the Government at close of war	2 [illegible] 380 263 21
Total debt on the 1st November 1868	2 [illegible] 129 [illegible]
Reduction since April 1865	$4 [illegible] 6 [illegible]

The last figures show the *gross* reduction But the present amount of the debt is augmented by the Pacific railroad bonds and the sum paid for Alaska Those sums together amount to $49 394 000 With other items it leaves the last November statement will have been $3 477 74[illegible] 82 or will be 60 42 less than on April 1865

THE SPEAKERSHIP In reply to Eastern journals which say that the next Speaker of the House of Representatives should be an Eastern man as the West has got nearly everything else Chicago *Tribune* very properly says that the next Speaker should be an Eastern man if he be better qualified and is found in the East than in the West in both which case it is clear that the West has got everything, for the reason that she is possessed of the best qualified men for every high office The Westerners want the ballot of progress the first loss most of all as well as military equipment It brass and enterprise of the East are chiefly skilled in cornering stocks, jobbing and selling in Wall street

HOLMES CHARGES Postmaster General Randall the leading bread and butterist of the Administration takes very lofty grounds in his annual report in justification of the large increase of expenditures in the Postoffice Department under his management He says

The increase of the expense of the postal service based on its legitimate necessities and public demand must at all times cause little alarm but it is a subject of congratulation Suppose a Radical should talk in this way about the public expenditures – what a fine text it would afford for numberless homilies on Radical extravagance'

By Overland Telegraph.

DISPATCHES TO THE ELEVENTH

DATES TO DECEMBER 27

Special Reporters Announcing Grant's Opinions

NEW YORK Dec 28—It is stated that General Grant has expressed himself upon it to friends upon our foreign relations merely for publication sake The purpose of the Administration with the exception of performance of the duties of the great office is to see that the laws are carried out The Chinese question prevails in the Pacific service All other appointments left vacant in the Southern States will be filled by men in the Southern States who are loyal to the Government and have unimpeachable evidence of character and who will be expected to replace with persons of equal character as soon as they can be found to perform the duties in a satisfactory manner

NEW YORK Dec 28 The *Herald* Washington special says the Senate Chambers have been cleared of the Impeachment Managers and the House Managers in order to ratify by the approval of Executive the amount of some hundreds of thousands of dollars for extra clerk hire services of messengers and laborers

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Fenian Centennial Convention will meet in Cincinnati on the 4th of January

Wholesale Poisoning Confessed

NEW YORK Dec 28 Intelligence from Nassau mentioned Whitehead previously reported as having confessed to poisoning fifteen members of his family and others in order to collect insurance on their lives Whitehead is also charged with poisoning a Mrs Hall and her husband's father in order that Hall might return from the army and collect a fatal policy The woman had always borne a good character Dr Hall's death was followed by that of Whitehead's father and wife

NEW YORK Dec 28 The Supreme Court decision has sustained the decision of the Circuit Court which held that the collection of taxes on borrowed Confederate money was illegal and void

Railroad Accidents

ST LOUIS Dec 27—Two freight trains on the Hannibal and St Jos Railroad, collided near Chillicothe on Thursday morning instantly killing both engineers and firemen The engines were completely smashed and the cars burned It is stated that the body of a young lady was found in the wreck burned to a crisp in the west bound

A train on the Iron Mountain Railroad struck two cattle on the track just below Jefferson Barracks yesterday morning throwing the engine and all twenty four passengers was precipitated down an embankment, making two complete revolutions Nearly every person inside was injured some severely but none fatally

General Reilly sent a detachment of cavalry from Fort Harker on the 21st to scout the upper valleys of the Salmon Republican and Solomon rivers, it having been reported that Indians had been recently seen there Sully thinks Sheridan will return from the campaign within thirty days

The Cuban Insurrection.

HAVANA, Dec 28—The Government publishes in the *Gazette* an account of the battle of Moran Among the trophies found in the baggage captured from the insurrectionists were several jars of strychnine Information previously received by the Government stated that strychnine has been used on the Spanish troops through out the island The official account of the battle states that the Government troops came up with the insurgents on the 19th inst sixteen miles from Puerto Principe They stormed the entrenched camp of the enemy and attacked them with bayonets The latter were routed, losing many killed and wounded The Government's loss was only one man killed and eight wounded The Cuban account of the affair states that the Government lost heavily in killed and wounded The revolutionists deny the statement that the Government troops captured all their arms and ammunition Gen Sutro sailed yesterday for Santiago with troops to take command of the Eastern Department The revolutionists destroyed the light house on Lucrata Point endangering the navigation of the Bohemia Chancel Eight hundred filibusters landed at the bay of Cochimas and also at Santiago The Government has only 1,800 troops in that part of the Island They are surrounded by 10,000 revolutionists Business is suspended and importation stopped The authorities are without funds and pay nobody Distress and gloom every where prevails

MANZANILLO, Dec 20 —Via Lake City, Florida, Dec 27.—The Government force here, numbering 500, is closely besieged Occasional skirmishes take place between the Revolutionists and the Government troops, but lead to no important results The Government troops are suffering from bad and insufficient diet The cholera has broken out among them

From Mexico.

HAVANA, Dec. 28 —The following Mexican news has been received: General Escobedo was received by Juarez. A Congressional committee has reported on all treaties except the consular treaty. The concession and grant of the Tehuantepec route is under discussion Payments by the Treasury have recently been punctually made A public meeting had been held favorable to the Cuban revolution Gen Escobedo is pushing movements in Tamaulipas and has offered to surrender, but the terms proposed were refused A plan of conscription has been initiated by the Ministers of War.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

LONDON, Dec 25 —A dispatch from Vienna states that it is certain that the Western Powers will agree with Austria respecting a conference

The Porte has extended the term for the departure of the Greeks from the Turkish domains to five weeks

Russia has asked Turkey and Greece to suspend hostilities until the end of the Conference The adhesion of Austria is rumored as certain, as also of Italy and Greece The probable Conference will assemble some time in January Count Bismarck hopes its session will be held in Paris

The *Temps* Democratic, said last evening, that France and England have little sympathy with the proposed Conference

It is arranged that the conference of the Great Powers shall assemble in Paris in January

LONDON, Dec 24 —Reverdy Johnson received a deputation of artisans desirous of founding a Colony in Alaska. Johnson encouraged them

An Athens dispatch states that two Turkish ships have been placed on the coast of Heraklion to prevent the departure of Greeks for Crete

The *Times* this morning has another long editorial on the subject of the *Alabama* claims The people of both England and America the *Times* says, are uneasy in regard to the relations which are to exist in the future between the two nations The business arises from ignorance of the true state of the negotiations pending the *Alabama* questions The *Times* believes that Secretary Seward obstructs the settlement but that the question will be finally and amicably adjusted under the incoming administration of President Grant Reverdy Johnson, is not likely to be removed by the new administration but will be permitted to remain and complete the work already begun If Seward seeks to delay the settlement of this important question he should be humored, but the basis of the protocol agreed upon by Lord Stanley and Johnson must remain fixed and will sooner or later command the consent of both countries

The *Times* publishes a letter from Dilkes son of an eminent journalist denouncing the recent action by the British authorities at Kong Chow China Dilkes says such acts will be more to endanger the peace between Great Britain and the United States than the *Alabama* claims The *Times* agrees with Dilkes and pronounces the outrage a violation of the treaties and an offense to the Chinese government

It is said that President Sarmiento of the Argentine Republic has engaged the services of Gen McMahon American Minister to Paraguay in an attempt to mediate with Lopez and that Don Pedro the Brazilian Emperor has in connection therewith tendered to withdraw the Brazilian army from the Argentine Republic

LONDON Dec 26 —The Oriental question is about to receive attention It is not absolutely certain that a conference will be held but if held sooner or later it is not likely to be as successful as before projected upon a similar attempt at conciliation

The Sultan of Turkey declines to yield its independence or to make sale of Crete or transfer that Island to Egypt or any other power

Lord Clarendon as war expected adhered to the old policy of England in regard to Turkey Napoleon and the Emperor of Austria are said to share in these views while it is thought Prussia leans toward those of Russia It is certain that the Greeks count but little on direct aid from Russia but must encounter in the event of their own countrymen in Turkey The Ottomans seem quite indifferent A manifesto from Garabaldi tells them that the proclamation of Spain as a Republic will be the watchword for a new movement on Rome, and he exhorts them to be in readiness for the event

The laureateship of the American poet, declined by Longfellow Read, Halpine, Bayard Taylor and Geo W Childs of the Philadelphia *Ledger* was among the guests

PARIS Dec 25—The *Patrie* of last evening has the following dispatch from Athens Dec 22d The Committee of Action has had access to the petition to the General Government praying for peace They urge the Government to support the popular feeling of the country which is clearly for peace and to avoid a war with Turkey

The latest dates received from Rio state that the news is important The allies had attacked the Paraguayans at Villeta and were beaten and driven back with the loss of 1,500 killed and wounded.

A dispatch from Vienna states that the Austrian Ambassador at Constantinople at Athens and the Porte all said that those powers are not favorable to the proposed Conference between the United States to take part in the Turkish Greek difficulty

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OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 28 Judge Morrison's recent decision in Land Commission Superintendent Hartnell was sentenced to three months imprisonment and to pay a fine of $1 000 Hartnell appealed from the decision

A Portuguese ship officer Richard Lachollen arrested last month for assault and battery on the person of Thomas Brannan died yesterday He was attacked and severely beaten by several ruffians until in self defense he drew knife and killed his assailants, shooting James Mulvey in the chest Mulvey's wound is likely to prove fatal

On Christmas day, off Benicia, the steamer *City of Panama* accidentally ran down a small boat containing four men, one of whom was drowned Only seven persons could reach him

The Alcove Dining Saloon Sacramento Street was partially burned yesterday morning Loss about $500

Fifty quarts of smuggled opium seized by the Chinese steamer *Golden Gate* Hepolis was much larger than at first supposed The package of opium were enclosed within tin cases

The bark *Bearer* has been libelled for salvage by the owners of the tug *Active*

The fare to Sacramento by the boats of the California Steam Navigation Company is reduced to $1 The cabin and deck dollar on deck

The usual session of the stock board was resumed this morning after a recess since Thursday evening A fair business was transacted at previous quotations with a slight improvement for most descriptions

Monday.

Gold to day 114[illegible] Sterling 109½@110 Legal tenders are quiet at 72 buying and 74 selling U S 5 20s in New York this morning 110@110 Pacific Mail 111

New York and Liverpool Markets

Flour and wheat quotations are the same as yesterday Liverpool quotations for California wheat is further reduced to 11s 10d

San Francisco Markets.

Flour—Sales of 250 bbls extra, for home consumption at current rates

Wheat—Sale of 4 000 sks good shipping, at $1 87½ Market quiet $1 70@1 80 for fair to good and $1 90@1 95 for good to choice

Barley We quote feed at $2 20@2 27½, and brewing at $2 30@2 35

Oats—Sale of 1 000 sks Oregon private We quote California at $2@2 20 and Oregon at $2 15@2 25

Shipping.

Arrived Dec 27th—Barkentine *Jennie Potts* from Seaback Dec 28th—Ship *Kingston*, 148 days from Bombay, bark *Cocora*, 147 days from Bordeaux ship *Shooting Star* from Nanimo, and the bark *Eureka*

Sailed—Bark *Emma Augusta* Port Madison

Cleared Dec 28th—Steamer *Pacific* Eureka

FROM THE NORTH

VICTORIA, Dec 28 —The revenue cutter *Wyanda* sailed on Saturday for Sitka She will winter in those waters

The steamer *Geo S Wright* arrived last evening from Portland

UMATILLA Dec, 28 —A man named Thomas Lowland shot and killed his partner on Whidby's Island on Thursday evening last Both men were under the influence of liquor Rowland is at jail at Port Townsend, awaiting trial

HAPPILY CHARACTERIZED —The Oakland (Cal) *News* has an article on the Jeremy Diddlers of the press, which contains some sharp points whose incisive thrust may be felt by certain of this tribe who have occasionally afflicted Oregon The immediate object of the article is to rebuke a journalistic bummer who not many months ago was employed in this State, but who, having become a debtor to every whisky shop where he could get credit, and having brought the journal and the party he was professedly laboring for into disrepute was dismissed and sent back to California where he is now employed, much to the discredit of honorable journalism Of the Bohemian vagabonds of which this person is a type the *News* says 'They are fellows of the meaner sort in the profession, who, when they 'play out their little stock of journalistic jobbering, step off into another locality and then peddle off their pieces with all the flourish of originality We say we have watched these so called editors who travel from one place to another with their carpet sack full of all the old stale trash which they have ever written or stolen and which they are ready to re hash for a puff on at short notice on the same principle that a Punch and Judy showman exhibits his performance wherever he can find a gaping audience to witness his exhibitions But what has most forcibly struck us in connection with this class of society and mostly follows is that the greater the charlatan the louder he talks the prate about his own abilities This description exactly fits a couple of adventurers who came to Oregon no great while ago, and who by puffing themselves tried to make a great sensation as able and brilliant editors Both miserably failed Their little stock of journalistic jabbering could last but a short time in a community something larger than a mere village

NEW BRANCH MINT The Government some time ago purchased a lot on the corner of Mission and Fifth streets San Francisco for the site of a new branch mint for that city Superintendent Linderman has taken the initiative in the matter and has received instructions from A B Mullett Supervising Architect of the Treasury Department at Washington to make a series of experiments by sinking with a view of ascertaining the depth and character of the formation found at that point The result of the examination so far as made shows a depth of hard cement then a stratum of 4 feet of hard clay then a depth of 14 feet of hard sand standing with out water Some doubts had been expressed as to the nature of the foundation a report being current that it rested upon an alkali bed However better information is universally to the effect that the foundation was exclusively of sand and clay The plans for the new Branch Mint are ready in the hands of Superintendent Linderman at Washington, and only await the order of the Secretary of the Treasury to commence the work of building at the earliest practicable moment Contracts for labor and the furnishing of the material to build it will be let at once with the view to the work being pushed with the utmost vigor Superintendent Linderman has every disposition to facilitate the work and will spare no pains to secure the most substantial and economical manner of construction

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CHARITY A large class of people [illegible] forgetting to [illegible] remember the forgot it yet to be charitable [illegible] at least virtue a person ought always to practice by giving money to the poor or assisting [illegible] told that a person can by allow their charity advice often better than money, for instance [illegible] wishes to purchase a cook stove clothes or any thing else and by the Clothier [illegible] line [illegible] will [illegible] him and who [illegible] certain that at that House they can purchase the lowest rates and [illegible] and who [illegible] particulars to [illegible]

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THE PIONEER PLANING [illegible] —A two story [illegible] days ago we published an extract from a California paper stating that the publishers of the *Oregonian* had begun at Oregon City some [illegible] long time or other of these publishers have been the first newspaper proprietors in the State but they were not the first publishers of [illegible] The first printing press set up on this coast was at [illegible] used by Rev Mr Spaulding in printing portions of the New Testament in the Nez Perces language Who have not been [illegible] but it was long before the [illegible] of the Oregon City We have an impression that the mail was afterward taken to the [illegible] and there by the [illegible] of the Astoria Foreign Missions The New Perces chiefs which went to Washington last spring had with them some of the printed by Mr Spaulding at Lapwai, and still more in their worship.

SALEM ITEMS —From the *Unionist* we learn that Mr P Berry is seriously ill of typhoid fever Marion County Teachers' Association held a [illegible] day in the East Salem school house English was the principal theme for discussion, though there were [illegible] literary exercises At the annual election for Salem Lodge A F & A M, on the evening of the 25th inst the following named persons were elected officers for the ensuing Masonic year T H Cox, W H Rigby F W L S Scott, J W R Parker Treasurer Seth R Hampton, Secretary Phillips Teller The students at the University of Salem examination acquitted themselves well and did credit to the teachers under whose teaching they have been Prof Rounds is [illegible] a favorite both with the teachers and pupils. The next term of the school will commence on Monday the 4th of January There have been 186 students in attendance during the last term exclusive of the [illegible] and will increase the number to two hundred

THE NEW THEATRE —The spl [illegible] comedy of Still waters run deep was played last evening, with Mr and Mrs Stentiford, Mr Bates as John Mildmay, Mr Thayer as Captain Hawksley, Robinson as Potter, Miss Dunbar as Mrs Potter and Mrs Cummings as Mrs Mildmay—the latter in consequence of the storm prevailing the audience was rather a slim one but the play went off quite lively Still Waters [illegible] It is not one of that [illegible] but the less ambitious characters belong to the [illegible] and clean of men and women and which appreciates will satire and cool assurance meet the represen[illegible] Bates and Thayer were particularly good

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Decision in Bankruptcy

District Court District of Oregon. In the matter of J J and C W Walton, Involuntary Bankrupts. Motion to expunge the claim of [illegible] from the list of debts proved [illegible]. And it appearing to the Court that the [illegible] was made in the [illegible] person July 25, 1868. It is ordered, that [illegible]

That at and before the filing of the petition herein J J and C W Walton were and still are indebted to the [illegible] in the sum of $[illegible]. That since the filing of the petition herein, to wit: on the [illegible] day of [illegible], 1868, the said bankrupts made and executed to [illegible] a promissory note, payable [illegible] after date, for the sum of $[illegible], with interest thereon [illegible] per cent per annum, which said note was given for a debt due from the said bankrupts to the said [illegible] and was made and executed by the said bankrupts with the intent and purpose of giving a preference to the said [illegible] over the other creditors of the said bankrupts, and with the intent and purpose of defeating the operation of the bankrupt law. And it appearing to the Court that the said [illegible] had reasonable cause to believe that the said bankrupts were insolvent at the time of the execution of said note, and that the same was executed within two months before the filing of the petition herein. And it further appearing to the Court that the said [illegible] had reasonable cause to believe that the said bankrupts were about to commit an act of bankruptcy in the execution of said note. And it further appearing to the Court that the said [illegible] had reasonable cause to believe that the said bankrupts were insolvent at the time they received the money, goods, effects or benefit for which said note was executed. It is therefore ordered that the said note be delivered up to the assignee of said bankrupts, to be by him sold for the benefit of the creditors of said bankrupts.

And it further appears